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From: Dermer, Michele
Sent: Thur 5/21/2015 4:25:19 PM
Subject: RE: Status of UIC application for Alon Refinery

Good morning Helen,

We are evaluating your letter and extension request. I would like to get clarification on one aspect of your upcoming submittal. The letter indicates you will be submitting a revised application but is silent on the topic of a proposed aquifer exemption package. Has Alon been able to confirm and document that the injection zone is an exempt formation at the location of both the existing injection wells and at the location of any proposed new wells? If you or Bob Lorton could respond on that point, that would be helpful.

Sincerely,

Michele

From: Helen Ordway [mailto:Helen.Ordway@ALONUSA.com]
Sent: Monday, May 18, 2015 3:03 PM
To: Dermer, Michele
Cc: Albright, David; Bob Lorton
Subject: RE: Status of UIC application for Alon Refinery

I have attached a letter recently sent to David requesting a slight extension for the submittal. Our plan is to submit a modified application including the requested information. However, as you will see in the letter, the well locations have been impacted by a recent property sale. We are on track to submit to EPA by the end of June, as indicated. I have also included Bob Lorton, the geologist overseeing this effort, so please feel free to contact him (661-210-9366).

You mentioned a move; is there a new mailing address for our submission?

From: Dermer, Michele [<mailto:Dermer.Michele@epa.gov>]
Sent: Monday, May 18, 2015 2:36 PM
To: Helen Ordway
Cc: Albright, David
Subject: Status of UIC application for Alon Refinery

Good Afternoon Helen,

I've just left a voice message as well. We are interested to know when you expect to submit the required UIC information to EPA. Your letter indicated it would be shortly and we are in the midst of a move and I want to be sure your package is received without difficulty. Please advise when you plan to have the documents at EPA's offices. Thanks very much.

Sincerely,

Michele

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